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2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1.

3. ☒ The drawings filed on 22 December 2003 are accepted by the Examiner.

4. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).

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4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit
 of Biological Material

5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)

6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413),
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7. ☒ Examiner's Amendment/Comment

8. ☒ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance

9. ☐ Other _____

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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

The application has been amended as follows:

In claim 1, line 24, change the term "a look" to ~~----~~**a lock**~~----~~.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: the art of record considered as a whole, alone or in combination, neither anticipates nor renders obvious a cutting mechanism minute adjustment device for stone cutter, comprising a **L-shaped adjustable plate (15)** having a pair of adjustable slots (152,153) spacedly and alternately formed and respectively engaged with the pair third screw holes under a cutting mechanism and releasably secured by a pair of second screws (154,155) and a rectangular through hole (151) in the body for passing through the support arm (21); a **lock** having a threaded shank on front engaged into a fourth screw hole (12) of the cutting mechanism and the U-shaped slit (23) of the support arm and stopped against a top of the transverse portion (242) of a sustaining plate (24) with a washer disposed there between and a swivel handle (13) on a lateral side thereof, whereby, slides the L-shaped adjustable plate left and/or rightward, said cutting mechanism together with the circular blade will move and down to adjust the blade to be exactly vertical.

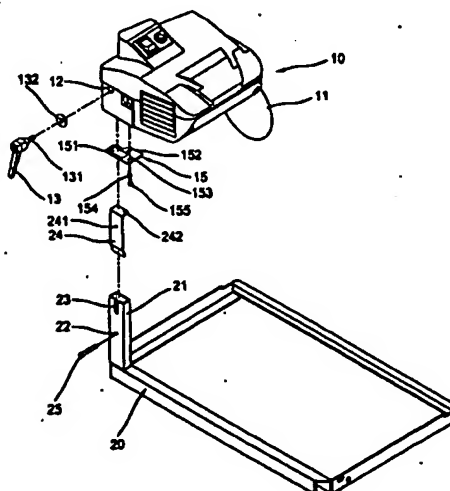


FIG. 1

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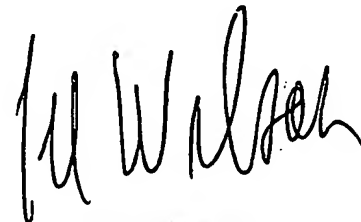
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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Anthony Ojini whose telephone number is 703 305 3768. The examiner can normally be reached on 7 to 4 Tuesday-Friday with every other Monday off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Joseph Hail can be reached on 703 308 2687. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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